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A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

DWPI: KEY WORDS (A61M, A61B, manifold, distribut, supply, oral, mouth, nose, nasal etc)

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document, with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X A	US 5273032 A (BORODY) 28 December 1993 See figures 1-4 and the abstract See entire document	21 1-28
P, X A	WO 2004/030723 A2 (SCOTT LABORATORIES, INC) 15 April 2004 See figure 7, pages 10 and 11 See entire document	21 1-28
X	WO 2001/095971 A2 (SCOTT LABORATORIES, INC) 20 December 2001 See the abstract	21
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WO	2004030723	US	2004129273		
WO	0195971	AU	68349/01	CA	2412485
		US	2002017300	EP	1359960
US	5575282				
US	5413095	AU	22450/95	WO	9528194
US	5513634				
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